



EDWARD C. CRAIG APPOINTED PLANT MANAGER, KINGSTON DIVISION



Mr. Edward C. Craig
Plant Manager, Kingston Division.

Courtney Flanders Elected Member of the Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors

During the recent Chamber of Commerce board elections, Courtney W. Flanders, Manager of Training and Community Relations, was elected to the board of directors as the representative for the manufacturing division.

Mr. Flanders has been an active member of the Chamber for the past three years. He will carry out his duties starting in June, holding office for two years.

Research Club Holds Lecture

Dr. H. K. Henisch, noted authority in the field of semiconductors, was guest speaker at a public lecture sponsored by the Sprague Research Club on May 12 at the Williams Inn. Dr. Henisch, of the University of Reading in England, was introduced by Dr. Lehovec, head of the Transistor Laboratory at Sprague Electric, who is also active in semiconductor research.

Philip Talarico Elected Chairman of the B. C. T. A. Educational Program

Mr. Philip Talarico, Foreman of Shipping Department, has been elected Chairman of the Educational Program which is being sponsored by the Berkshire County Traffic Association.

These meetings are held once a month in the vicinity of Pittsfield, Lee, Lenox and North Adams. June 10 a dinner meeting will be held at Petey Dinks. At this particular meeting a representative of the Railroad Company will speak. Other programs to follow will deal with airlines, truck industry, freight and steamship company.

Members of the association consist of men who deal with shipping and receiving, with the purpose of promoting harmony and understanding.

J. K. Sprague and Leon Podolsky Attend 1953 Electronic Components Symposium

Julian K. Sprague, President, and Leon Podolsky, Technical Assistant to the President, attended the 1953 Electronic Components Symposium which was held April 29, 30 and May 1, 1953 at the Shakespeare Club in Pasadena, California.

This symposium is one in a series of national annual meetings on electronic parts. The main business of the symposium is to bring together scientists, engineers, technical workers, and executives interested in the exchange of information on electronic components. The symposium is sponsored by the American Institute of Electrical Engineers, Institute of Radio Engineers, Radio Television Manufacturers Association, and the West Coast Electronics Manufacturers Association.

Mr. Sprague delivered a talk on "Some Characteristics and Limitations of Capacitor and Resistor Components" at the May 1, 1953 session. Mr. Sprague and Mr. Podolsky collaborated on the preparation of the paper which was read before twelve hundred engineers.

Other sessions that were held covered General Component Problems; Environment and Packaging; Tubes and Tube Reliability; Component Reliability; Resistors, Capacitors and Dielectrics; Devices and Material and Reliability of Electronic Components in Guided Missiles.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE HONORS R. C. SPRAGUE



Valmore Cote, President of the Chamber of Commerce, Robert C. Sprague, holding the plaque which was given to him at the Chamber dinner, and Mayor Ernest Rosasco.

May 12, at the Richmond Hotel, Robert C. Sprague was acclaimed by 300 persons at the annual dinner of the Chamber of Commerce where he was presented a bronze plaque "in recognition of outstanding service to this community." Mr. Sprague commented how he has worked consistently toward the goal of a "sound and stable business. So far, our efforts have paid off," he declared, "and we hope to be an important part of the community for many years to come."

Certificates were awarded by Courtney W. Flanders, to the participants in the Chamber sponsored Management Training Classes "Techniques of Super-

vision" and "Work Simplification." One of the highlights of the evening was the presentation to past presidents of the Chamber of an "Award of Merit" for their service to the Chamber.

The main speaker of the evening was Mr. Stephen Clarke, Sales Promotion Manager of Crane and Company, Dalton, Massachusetts. His topic for the evening was, "The Last Two Feet of Selling Space".

The dinner marked the 50th anniversary of the North Adams Chamber of Commerce and all the past presidents who are still living were invited to attend.

SPRAGUE PRODUCTS AWARDED PLAQUE



Neal Hunter, field engineer for Sprague Products, left, accepts the N.A.T.E.S.A. plaque from Frank Moch in the picture above. N.A.T.E.S.A. plaques were also awarded to General Electric Company and Sylvania Electric Products, Inc.

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343 Employees Registered To Donate Blood

The recent visit of the Red Cross Bloodmobile to North Adams was the most successful ever held. This is due largely to the tremendous response of the Sprague Electric Employees, to the blood donors, the Sprague Management and the Sprague LOG. Our sincere thanks for the cooperation.

William J. Stackpole
Chairman Berkshire County Red Cross Blood Program

Listed below are the Sprague Electric employees who registered to donate their blood.

John Aldrich, Albert Allard, William Allison, Henry Anderson, Joan Andrews, Josephine Aragose, Lorraine Audette, Stanley Bagdon, Benjamin Banulis, Elizabeth Barcomb, Stella Bastien, William Beattie, Valmore Beauchamp, Barbara Beaudin, Marion Beer, Betty Begiebing, Paul Belanger, Fred Bennett, Alfred Bergeron, Catherine Bergeron, Thomas Bernardi, Amelia Biondello, Mary Bishop, Nancy Bissailon, Ada Blair, Mary Blair, Joan Blanchette, Kenneth Boillat, Ralph Boisjolie, Agnes

Bolus, Frank Booth, Roberta Booth, Armand Bosse, Alfred Bourdon, Mae Brackett, Francis Bourdon, Ernest Bradley, Harold Brafman, Francis Brazeau, Patricia Brodacki, Dorothy Brooks, Lawrence Brothers, Eloise Brown, Homer Broulette, Raymond Brown, Helen Bryce, Katherine Bryce, Gerald Burdick, Helen Burdick, Robert Burns and Carl Butler.

James Canale, Yvonne Carlisle, Ann Carlow, Howard Carney, Marion Caron, Olympia Catelotti, Paul Caudell, Armand Champagne, William Champagny, Janice Chesbro, Gray Christie, Sylvia Cimonetti, Margaret Cirone, Richard Clark, Roma Clossey, Helen Clough, Richard Cloutier, Florence Cobb, Josephine Cody, Clayton Collette, Teresa Collette, Marie Collier, William Collier, Charles Connors, Mildred Conroy, Gerald Contu, Edward Cook, Mary Cook, James Copeland, Louis Corbiere, Lucy Cozzaglio, James Crawford, Anna Cronin, Lewis Cronin, Z. Francis Czerwinski, Paul

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DECORATION DAY

Decoration Day, known also as Memorial Day, is a holiday observed in the northern United States on May 30, originally in honor of soldiers killed in the United States Civil War, and subsequently, also in honor of those who fell in the later wars. Before the close of the Civil War May 30 was celebrated in several of the southern states; in the north there was no fixed celebration until 1868, when (on May 5) Commander-in-Chief John A. Logan, of the Grand Army of the Republic, issued a general order designating May 30, 1868, "for the purpose of strewing with flowers or otherwise decorating the graves of comrades who died in defense of their country during the late rebellion"; Logan added "with the hope that it will be kept up from year to year." In 1882 the Grand Army urged that the "proper designation of May 30 is Memorial Day"—not Decoration Day. Rhode Island made it a legal holiday in 1874, Vermont in 1876 and New Hampshire in 1877; and by 1910 it was a legal holiday in all the states and territories. In Virginia May 30 is observed as a Confederate Memorial Day. June 3 (the birthday of Jefferson Davis) is observed as Confederate Memorial Day in Louisiana and Tennessee; April 26, in Alabama, Florida, Georgia and Mississippi; and May 10, in North Carolina and South Carolina.

FREEDOM

You speak with authority, I presume,
When you say the world's on the edge of doom
While I lie here in eternal gloom
For trying to make men free.

Why did you waste this precious life?
You said I was fighting to end all strife.
I fought for this dream and gave my life
That men like you might be free.

Now, I see it all clearly from here above—
The things that are lacking are friendship and love
You kill men ruthlessly forgetting that love
Alone can set men free.

You're forgetting that these men too were kissed,
By the very same sunshine I have missed,
Yet you smile at the enemy's casualty list
Because you're making them "free".

We all were brothers under the skin.
They notified our "next of kin"—
"They died to rectify a sin."
Has our payment made men free?

Freedom? Tell me, what does it mean?
Is it really working or is it a dream?
I fought for it, yet, I fought, it would seem
In vain to set men free.

In your own selfish way your sins you atone
But can't you hear this death's faint moan?
Saying kindness and love and these alone
Are what will make men free.

I am not free in my clammy tomb.
Yet you speak with authority, I presume,
When you say you will banish th' eternal gloom
And make the whole world free.

Poem by Frederick H. Whitham
Written Memorial Day, 1951



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A stag and shower was held May 14 at the Elk's home in honor of Florence Hannalick (Misc. Paper Finish desk clerk) and Robert Diodati (Production Engineering). Dancing was enjoyed to the music of Sam Damico's orchestra. The guests of honor were presented a purse of money and a silver tea service. They are to be married June 13 at St. Francis' church.

Tootie Cirullo's stag and shower drew approximately 250 people. Everyone had a wonderful time. Best of luck, Tootie.

Anna May Jammallo honored Ann Blazewicz with a personal shower at her home. Ann received numerous gifts.

There was a personal shower for Gertrude Rusek (Industrial Oils) Thursday, May 14. The shower was given by her friends and bridesmaid at her home. Gertrude received many beautiful gifts. She is to be married July 18 to Jerry Burdick (Industrial Oils). Good luck to both of you.

Yvonne Babeu was honored at a surprise bridal shower held May 15 at the home of Mrs. Nelson Chamberlain, mother of Dot De Graff, Small Order Assembly. "Tiny" was the recipient of many lovely gifts, including a wedding cake made by Frances Bartlett. The hostesses, Dot DeGraff, Frances Bartlett, Betty Kleiner and Christine Schutz, entertained the guests with a mock marriage and tape recordings. The affair concluded with a lovely buffet lunch served for the twenty who attended. Yvonne is to be married June 6 at 11:00 at the Notre Dame Church to James Knights of the Marshall Street Shipping Department.



The following celebrated their birthdays the month of May: Lillian Goff, May 24, and Janet Mahar, May 31, both from Flat Midget Assembly; Marion Pinsonnault, May 12, Building 7 offices; Jeannette Krzeminski, May 10, and Najib Davis, May 11, both from the Shipping Department; Anna May Jammallo, May 20, and Marjorie Richer, May 24, both from Filters; and Jane Dobbett, May 26, and Marie Cicchetti, May 17, both from Ceramic Department.



Miss Joann Deans, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David McNab Deans, became the bride of Ensign USNR, William Caron, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Caron, May 9.

Anniversaries...

Congratulations to Mary Scerbo and her husband on their 39th anniversary, May 14.

Dorothy and Donald Russett celebrated their second wedding anniversary on May 14. Dorothy works in Purchasing.

Congratulations to Lea and Bill Walden, who will celebrate their 13th wedding anniversary on May 30. Lea works in the Purchasing Department.

Anniversaries celebrated in Filters were—Mr. and Mrs. Damiano, 23 years on June 7; and Mr. and Mrs. Blake Caldwell, 2nd on June 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Rowett celebrated their 4th anniversary May 28. Reggie works in Prokar Polyester Department; Dolly in Round Midget.

Clara Bourdon celebrated her anniversary on May 18. She is employed in the Ceramic Department.



Mary Madden will be married to Paul Caudell on June 6. Paul works in the Time Study Department.

Miss Joan C. Mulcahy of Employee and Community Relations, is to be married June 6 at the Chapel at Naval Operations Base in Norfolk, Virginia, to Lieutenant (j.g.) James E. Rich, USNR, of Bethel, Maine. Mr. Rich is on the USS Tidewater operating out of Norfolk.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Rice of North Bennington, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Helen, to Edward P. Houran, III, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Houran of 1016 County Street, Bennington. Edward is employed in the Ceramic Department.



A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Fabricius on May 19.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. John Campbell on the birth of their second son.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hall on the arrival of a new baby girl born May 12.

A daughter was born April 26 to Lorraine and Mike Cirullo. Lorraine is in Sample Department.

SAFETY CORNER

HOME SAFETY

SPRING CLEAN YOUR ATTIC AND BASEMENT FOR SAFETY



A cluttered cellar and attic contributes to unnecessary accidents, a frequent danger spot where unsuspected fires may start. Include these areas in your spring house cleaning program. Get rid of old newspapers and boxes. Clean out rubbish, give or throw away objects you know you'll never use. Keep stairways clear to prevent falls.

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Poetry Column

(Please send your contributions to the LOG desk.)

ATTENTION PLEASE!

contributed by Elizabeth Jones, Industrial Oils

A starved little kitten

And no one seems to care

To heed my constant cries

For a hard crust to share.

Since I lost my mother

I'm driven to despair,

I only roam about

Or climb the lengthly stair.

For days I've been so thirsty!

Can't some kind person see

There's no food nor water?

I wish they'd notice me.

My hair's black from coal dust,

I'm just alive with fleas.

Won't someone understand

And love me, if you please?

I've heard of "Cat Heaven"

Where water's kept about

The cats are brushed and combed,

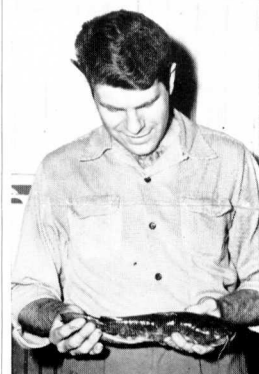
Fed delicacies like trout.

With just a few kind words

And food that's not too scant;

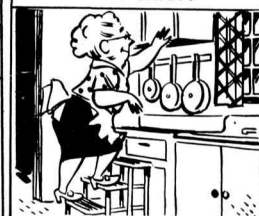
I'll live in my "Cat Heaven"

Right here, within this plant.



Deane Brown, KVA, caught this Bullhead at Cheshire Lake. Looks pretty slippery Deane.

REACHING HIGH PLACES WITH SAFETY



Many jobs around the home involve reaching high places—such as fixing curtains, painting, getting things off shelves. To do them safely, you need something sturdy to stand on. As many things that people use (such as rickety chairs and the like) can cause accidents or lead to accidents, a sturdy step stool or step ladder is recommended. Then you do not risk a fall due to improper footing. Do not climb too high. Always shift the position of the step stool or ladder rather than attempt to reach out too far.

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MANAGEMENT CLUB PAID SPECIAL TRIBUTE TO ROBERT C. SPRAGUE



Kenneth Russell, President of the Management Club, is shaking hands with Robert C. Sprague. Mr. Sprague is pictured with the combination ship's clock and barometer which was given to him by members of the Club in appreciation of all he has contributed to the Club.

May 13 a dinner meeting which was attended by 115 members of the Management Club was held in the Williams Inn, Williamstown, special tribute was paid to its founder, Robert C. Sprague. The club presented Mr. Sprague a combination ship's clock and barometer. The gift was inscribed in appreciation of his interest in and support of the management group.

Guest speaker for the evening was Dr. Kenneth McFarland, educational consultant and lecturer for General Motors, guest lecturer for the Readers Digest and educational director of the American Trucking association. His talk was on business today, and how it should operate by the rule book.

Kenneth Russell, president of the club, made the presentation. A short business meeting was held and nominations were accepted for delegates to the National Association of Foremen Convention which will be held in Milwaukee, Wisconsin during September. The following men were nominated: John Pierce, Robert Boyer, Charles Dean, Raymond Brown, Harold Brafman and Howard Sherman.



Dr. Kenneth McFarland, principal speaker at the Management Club Dinner.



The group seemed to be enjoying themselves and the speaker.

Blood Donors

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Danforth, Adrian Darling, Louis Daub, Bernard Davignon, Norman Davignon, Richard Davine, Dorothy Davis, Evelyn Davis, Howard Davis, John Davis, William Davis, Dorothy Davison, Charles Dean, Jean Dean, Marion Dean and Dorothy DeGraff.

Edward DeGrenier, Mildred Delisle, Lorraine Dellaghelfa, Florence DeMarsico, Lorraine Demo, Lawrence Denault, Robert Denley, Francis Denett, Olympia DePaoli, James DeSanti, Thomas DeSanty, William Descoteau, Leno Deso, Faith Dickinson, June DiGennaro, Dorothy DiSanti, Theophile Dorey, Patricia Donovan, Stanley Dorst, Marie Dubreuil, Aurel Dumoulin, Margaret Dupras, Gertrude Dupre, Ruth Durant, Rita English, Dorothy Errichetto, Lester Estes, Loren Estes, William Falcon, John Faustine, Katherine Field, Alfred Folino, Ruth Fontaine, Elaine Fortin, Rita Fortin, William Fortini, Agnes Fossier, Robert Fountain, Isabelle Fuller, William Frost, William Gaffey, Corrine Gallup, Viola Gamari, Theresa Garafono, Joseph Garceau, Jr. Josephine Gaspardi, Frances Gatto, Eunice Gentile, Gizella Gero, Bernard Gilmore, Jean Gingras, Alfio Girgenti, Dorothy Gotzens and Peter Grande.

Margaret Green, Ernest Grego, Ernest Gregory, Frederick Grogan, Kenneth Gurney, Frances Guyette, Margarete Guyette, George Hall, Florence Hannaleck, Jane Harding, Albert Harvey, Sarah Hawks, Herbert Haworth, Arthur Hewitt, Nellie Hewitt, Lawrence Hiser, Raymond Hunicke, William Hurley, Clayton Hynes, Theresa Jammallo, Arlene Jeffers, Charles Johnson, Evelyn Jones, George Joseph, Robert Kateley, Nancy Kelly, Marg-

aret Kernahan, Gerald Kirwin, Helen Kogut, John Korjenewski, Charles Kozlowski, Irving Kuntz, Rose LaBeau, Lawrence LaBombard, Evelyn Laliberte, Richard Laliberte, Robert Lamore, Arthur Langlois, Bernadette Lanois, Lillian LaPlante, Paul LaPlante, Myrna Lavanway, Leonard Lavendol, Jr., Alfred Law, Thomas Leary, Lillian Lefave, Ann Lefebvre, Marie Lemoine, George LeSage, Joan Levesque, Clyde Levy, Velma Lincoln, Janet Lloyd, Patricia Lopreta, and Patricia Lord.

Marion Lowe, Robert Lowe, Alice Lunney, Ona Lyman, Barbara Magnifico, Donald Mahar, Helen Mancuso, Peter Mancuso, John Marran, Robert Marriott, Barbara Martin, William Martin, John Maselli, Angelo Mastroianni, Roger Matrigali, Mary Mazza, Helen McGinnis, Carey McLain, Forist McLain, Jr., Malcolm McQuarrie, Robert Meacham, Donald Meiklejohn, Stephanie Mellillo, Laddie Merante, Donald Millberry, Alice Moncecchi, Joseph Miller, Rachael Montagna, Pasquale Montesanti, Donald Moon, Sidney Morin, Ruth Morrissey, Clifford Morse, Robert Moulton, Joseph Mucha, John Newkom, Victor Obenhouse, Elizabeth O'Dell, Joan O'Hearn, John O'Leary, Patricia O'Neil, Alda O'Neill, Pauline Pappas, George Paquin, Joan Paradis, Eleanor Patterson, Frank Patterson, William Patterson, David Peck, Arthur Perra, Agnes Perry and Carlton Perry.

Robert Perry, Robert Peters, Ruth Pindick, Peter Pinsoneault, Suzan Pollone, Philip Potvin, Anna Powers, William Pratt, John Raby, Albert Racine, Bertha Remillard, Oliva Richards, Ruth Richmond, Naomi Riordan, Earl Robare, Ernest Robert, June Rock, Warren Rock, Elizabeth Romeo, Wilfred Rondeau, Chalmer Rose, Don-

Evening Electronics Class Enjoy Luncheon



Graduates of the Evening Electronics Class at the steak luncheon given in their honor in the Marshall Street Cafeteria.

Julian K. Sprague invited the twenty-four graduates of the first Evening Electronic Class to an informal steak luncheon in the Marshall Street Cafeteria on Monday, May 18.

At this time, Mr. Sprague took great

pleasure in presenting the graduates their diplomas. Mr. Sprague expressed his fine feeling of appreciation for the interest they have shown in completing this course.

ald Ross, Dorothy Russett, Elizabeth Ryan, Doris Salka, Helen Scarbo, Patricia Schabot, John Schimmel III, William Schink, Marine Scott, Patricia Senecal, Doris Shaffner, John Shaw, Dorothy Shea, James Shea, John Shea, Robert Sheehan, Margaret Sherry, Vernon Shippie, Frances Siciliano, Jessie Silva, Mary Solomon, Evelyn Soule, Arthur Spencer, William Spencer, Virginia Spencer, Edward Sprague, Esther Sullivan, Thomas Sullivan, Catherine Sutliff, Barbara Sweet and Henry Sweeney.

Harold Stevens, Jr. Clementine Tapella, Bernard Tatro, Donald Taylor, Melvin Tierman, Lillian Tisdale, Claire Tomaselli, Louis Toniatti, Margaret Torret, Neville Toye, Christine Traugut, Irmalae Trotter, Emma Underwood, Irene Vareschi, Samuel Vince, Jr., Gertrude Volpi, Edward Walton, John D. Washburn, Wallace Waterman, James White, Dorothy Whitehead, Clarence Wildman, Mabel Williams, Mirdza Williams, Frances Wilson, Fred Windover, James Wynn, Eugene Yarotsky and Charles Zocchi.

SPRAGUE PRODUCTS AWARDED PLAQUE

Sprague Electric was the only electronic components manufacturer to be honored at the 1953 National Conference of the National Alliance of Television and Electronic Service Associations, which was recently held in Kansas City.

One of three N.A.T.E.S.A. "Friends and Service Management Awards" was given to the Sprague Products Company, distributing subsidiary of the Sprague Electric Company in the replacement parts field, for "outstanding services to service management in creating better customer relations." The award was based on our continuing advertising and sales promotion program designed to remove misunderstandings between the general lay public and the electronic service industry and to build good will for the nation's radio and television servicemen.

Neal Hunter, field engineer for Sprague Products left, accepts the N.A.T.E.S.A. plaque from Frank Moch in the picture above. N.A.T.E.S.A. plaques were also awarded to General Electric Company and Sylvania Electric Products, Inc.

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- - Arts, Crafts, and Hobby Show Reviewed - -



Mr. Julian K. Sprague, President, presented an electric meat roaster to Clotilde Astorino, Sales, who won first prize in Needlework.



The judges and the prizes, left to right are: Thomas F. Bruneau, Dean Andrew Flagg, Miss Antoinette Murray, Professor Emeritus Karl E. Weston and Professor T. G. Mehlin.

Second Annual Arts, Crafts and Hobby Show Well Supported

On Saturday, May 16 approximately 500 spectators came to the Marshall Street Cafeteria to see the Second Annual Arts, Crafts and Hobby Show. The exhibits were many, about 34, and varied, from chinchillas to leather craft. Again this year, the competition was most keen, however we found that the judges were "most" capable in selecting the winners. The judges were: Miss Antoinette Murray, Professor Emeritus, Karl E. Weston, Thomas F. Bruneau and Professor T.G. Mehlin.

At 3:00 p.m., Mr. Julian K. Sprague presented the awards to the winners and then addressed the guests informally. The winners were:

Hugh W. Kirkpatrick
First Prize in Modelbuilding
Zenith Clock Radio

William A. Perreault
First Prize General Leather Carving
Zenith Clock Radio

Charles H. Wacker, Jr.
First Prize in Art
Combination Grille and Waffle Iron

George A. Richards
Second Prize in Art
Sunbeam Electric Razor

Ralph A. Hammann
First Prize in Photography
Universal Coffeematic

Clotilde Astorino
First Prize in Needlework
Electric Meat Roaster

Mrs. Frances Trisorio
Second Prize in Needlework
G. E. Electric Mixer

John E. Gallagher
Honorable-Mention—Model Building
Electric Clock

Chester Lanoue
Honorable-Mention—Model Building
Electric Toaster

Mrs. John Petro
Honorable-Mention—General Flowers
Waring Automatic Coffeepot

Fred B. Windover
Honorable-Mention—Photography
Electric Radio

Christina Varechi
Honorable-Mention—Hooked rug
Revere Ware set

Henry K. Doane
Honorable-Mention—Needlepoint
Knife Set

Ernest Gamache
Honorable-Mention—Woodworking
G. E. Standard Iron

Frank Morandi
Honorable-Mention—Ducks
Waring Automatic Coffee Pot

Ralph Blood
Honorable-Mention—Chinchillas
Waring Automatic Coffee Pot

Bernard Stackpole
Honorable-Mention—display
G. E. Steam Iron

Woody Lamphear
Honorable-Mention—best display
Radio

Again this year the North Adams Savings Bank is contributing space in the display window for all first prize winners.



Hobbies Exhibited by 31 in Marshall Street Cafeteria



Hugh W. Kirkpatrick, Research and Engineering, is pictured with his model steam engine. Hugh won first prize in model-building.



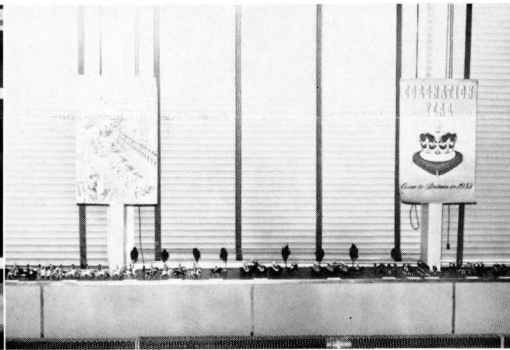
Mrs. William Perreault, Dry Tubular Finish, exhibited her husband's hobby, leather crafting. As you can see, she has a large variety of purses and belts. Mr. Perreault won first prize in the general classification, a Zenith Clock Radio.



Mathew Nazzewski, Lab, was one of our feature attractions at the Hobby Show. Mat volunteered to demonstrate the process of glass blowing. Mat held a large crowd around him at all times.



Ralph A. Hammann, Lab, with the photographs that won him a first prize in photography.



Woody Lamphear, son of Regis, who works in Maintenance Cost Control, displayed his military miniature soldiers. He won honorable mention for best display.



Mrs. John Petro, left, whose husband works in Maintenance, won honorable mention for her flower plants. The two girls seemed to be admiring them.



The crucial moment. Exhibitors watching the distribution of prizes.



Ralph Blood, Formation, displays his four chinchillas. Ralph won an honorable mention prize, a Waring Automatic Coffee Pot. Wouldn't they make a nice coat?



Mrs. John Walsh, whose husband works in the Machine Shop, displayed dolls' clothes that she has made. They certainly are lovely.

DEPARTMENTAL NEWS

MARSHALL STREET
"Memos"

Test Equipment Engineering

by Mary Cantoni

We welcome George C. Wisniowski to our department. George formerly worked in the Berkshire Mills and studied Electronics at R.P.I. School of Electronics... It's hurry back to Edward Strople who is out on sick leave. For real entertainment, one must watch Bill Champagny's demonstration of how the Marciano and Walcott fight should have been fought.

Ceramics Department

by Emma Maruco and Ida Gigliotti

Welcome to our department Mary Morris and Beatrice Collins... Welcome to our new check inspector Bill Hermon and so long to Paul Callahan who has left our department. We all wish you luck on your new job... Very happy to mention the people from our department who gave blood. Included were Foreman Francis Wilson, Charles Johnson, Paul Danforth, Peter Pinsonneault and Yvonne Carlisle... Leo Peters is having his vacation... Ruth St. John made up a lovely corsage of flowers taken from her garden and presented it to May Riordon on her birthday... Promoted to instructors in the Ceramic Department were Virginia Gregory and Ida Gigliotti. Congratulations girls!... We were all sorry to hear about your accident, Julia Martin, and hope that you will get well soon.

Round Midget Assembly

by Anon

Glad to report that George Ross is back with us after a month's illness; also Edith Roy, Betty Berger and Margaret Bradley. Here's hoping you will all enjoy your return to good health... Jane Gross was one of the hostesses at the Garden Club Day held in Adams, May 16, which was enjoyed by many. It was a beautiful day, one of the few we have had... The Hobby Show was a treat to many of us and we would like to thank the committee for the splendid job they did.

Flat Midget Assembly

by Carmie

The main gossip these days in the room concerns horse racing, baseball, boxing, vacations and most of all spring cleaning... Lillian Trombley is back from her vacation, which was spent at home... Joe Mantello is also back from his vacation... Glad to see Adrian Darling will be with us for a while longer... It is good to see George Ross back with us after being out on sick leave... Maude Crews is sporting a new hairdo... Glasses seem to be the new fad around here. They are very becoming to Adrian Darling, only he should wear them more often... Carol Busby is having quite a time remembering if she brought a coat or a sweater to work. What did you bring today, Carol?

Network and Filter Development Section

by Julie Desrosiers

Peggy Lauth is very busy since her cat became a mother of four. She is also looking forward to seeing her husband who is coming home on furlough.

Purchasing

by Irene 'n Lee

We are very proud to announce that Catherine Sutliff and Dorothy Russett made their annual donation of blood to the Blood Bank for the Red Cross... Jim Oldham went to Boston on May 10 to see the Red Sox play and came back with a lovely tan.

Employee and Community Relations Division

Girls who recently left our office to be married are Agnes Kelley and Joann Deans... We extend our welcome to Mrs. Anne Mazza, Lois Buckley, Rosemarie Tobin and Mary Pat Riley... Welcome home to Mr. Sprague, Jr., who recently returned from Europe... Our new building addition which was completed recently, certainly is welcomed by all, especially by those who have moved over, namely, Mr. Nolan, Mr. Kelley, Joan Mulcahy, Marie Kirkpatrick and Anne Mazza... Norman McWilliams, Jr. and Courtney W. Flanders have been busy moving from one house to another... Monica Novak is very busy taking driving lessons and she hopes by the next issue of the LOG she will be flashing her license and driving on her own... Sue Slater enjoyed a week end at Colgate University also, she recently purchased a new Chevy. Guess she's really going places, she has put 3,000 miles on it already... Fred Whitham is actually putting on weight! He has attended several banquets recently and has been enjoying them all. Don't give up... Joann Deans wedding certainly was beautiful. The turnout from the office was almost 100% where we enjoyed eating, dancing and everything else... Monica Novak, Pat Marsh, Sue Slater, Joan Mulcahy and Courtney and Mrs. Flanders, Jack and Mrs. Gumbleton, Bill and Mrs. Benedetti and Fred and Mrs. Whitham attended and a gay time was had by all... Edith Henning recently enjoyed a week end in New York City.

Small Order Sample Department

by M and N

We want to welcome Eloise Brown, Helen Mancuso and Donald Dickinson to our department... Loads of luck to Bill Richards and Jimmy Heelan with their new jobs... Ask Bob McDonough about the song, "The Kid With a Rip in His Pants."

Our deepest sympathy goes to Helen Cole on the loss of her nephew Roland Thiel.

Production Engineering

by Doris Langer

Newcomers to this department are Anna Berg and Robert Kately... Jean Godfrey is on leave caring for her mother who underwent an operation recently... George LaBombard is convalescing at the North Adams Hospital from a recent operation... Jean Tyler has left work to stay at home... A new resident of North Adams is Ann Reardon who recently moved into a new apartment on Liberty Street... Fred Crosier and his family spent his vacation in Sarasota, Florida with stopovers at Washington, D.C., and Mount Vernon... Mary Green is spending her vacation at home; her boyfriend is home on leave and will report to Quonset Point, R.I. shortly.

Shipping Department

by Cecile

Roma Clossey is enjoying a two weeks' vacation resting at home... Elizabeth O'Dell, Margaret Torrey, Roma Clossey, Ernest Gregory, Norman Davignon, Ted Grogan and Al Bourdon were blood donors recently... Eileen Niles and June Pringle attended the Deans-Caron wedding on May 9. Al Bourdon is sporting around in a new 1953 Ford, and Ernest Gregory has traded in his car for a Packard... We all miss Ann Tremblay who is on leave of absence... Mildred Waterman's son-in-law is on the road to recovery following an emergency operation.

Office Building No 7

by Joan Paradis and Betty Bogus

Harold "Kit" Carson spent an "enjoyable" vacation at home doing interior decorating work... Curt Tinker, who has returned to Marshall Street from the Kingston plant, is welcomed by all. Curt works in the Time Study Department. Note that new haircut!... Betty Bogus is spending a week in Detroit, Michigan. She took a plane from New York City. Have a nice time, Betty... Joan Paradis is spending Memorial Day weekend in New York City.

Maintenance Department

by A. Bowen

Arthur Southgate is enjoying a week's vacation from the Carpenter Shop... John Sargent, Brown Street Maintenance, is taking a two weeks' course in hydraulics at a school in Detroit, Michigan, which was sponsored by the F.J. Stokes Co. John expects to be back at work by May 25... We regret very much to hear of Carlton Perry's emergency appendectomy on Monday, May 18. Best wishes for a speedy recovery from all the gang, Carl... Congratulations go to the winners of the recent Hobby Show and especially the three contestants from Maintenance. Chester Lanoue won a prize with his model ship, which he fashioned in about six months of spare time. Mrs. John Petro's lovely pot flowers won her many compliments and a prize. Her husband, John, works in the Plumber's department. "Woody" Lamphear, the 12 year old son of Regis Lamphear, won a Zenith portable radio in recognition of his outstanding display of miniature soldiers. "Woody" arranged a coronation scene with 176 soldiers from his hobby collection. Regis had accompanied her son on a shopping trip to New York the weekend before the Hobby Show looking for miniature soldiers for his birthday gift to complete his display... Dorothy Buzzell and her daughter, Elaine, had a delightful shopping and sight-seeing trip to New York the week of May 8. Elaine is graduating in June and the trip was a graduation gift from her mother. They and the Lamphears came back together and reported having a wonderful trip.

Filters

by Ginger and Richer

Welcome back to Florence Grew... Beatrice Bisson's family was surprised when they received a phone call from her brother, Wilfred, who had just arrived at the Navy station in Newport, R.I. after being overseas in Germany and Italy for quite a while... June Sherman is all settled in her new apartment, and is patiently awaiting the return of her soldier-husband, Roland... Leo Lemoine is rather unhappy these days. Why, Leo?... Bertha Roy went to Sampson, N.Y., over the weekend to visit her son, Robert, who is stationed in the Air Force there... Get-well wishes go out to Gladys Griffin.

BUSY BEAVER
NEWS

Misc. Paper Finish

by Gert Noel

Good luck to Iris Jensen who has been transferred to Brown Street... Glad to hear Mary Lataif's mother has returned from the hospital and is on the road to recovery... Velma Lincoln visited her son, Charles Jr., who is in the Navy at Portsmouth, N. H... Good luck to Jackie Keating who has enlisted in the Marines for four years. Jackie was presented a purse of money from his co-workers in the Miscellaneous Paper Finish and Assembly Departments... Ray Guyette and his wife spent a weekend fishing at Vergennes, Vermont... Janet Haas looks mighty cute with her new poodle cut... Florence Cobb, Roberta Booth, Flo Hannaleck, Helen McGinnis donated blood in the recent campaign... Gert Noel and her husband spent a weeks vacation in Brattleboro and Somerset, Vermont.

Deepest sympathy goes to Dorothy Dunican whose sister died recently.

Metal Clad

by Veronica Sobon

Our department sick list is unusually long this issue. Dorothy Carden, Gladys Kilbride, Lydia Spooner and Claire Daniels underwent surgery in the North Adams hospital. They're all well on their way to recovery. Mary Bennett and Alyce French were injured in separate auto accidents. Alyce is back to work while Mary is still convalescing... Our new bride, Mrs. Dominic Zeppieri, is back to work after spending two weeks out getting married and honeymooning at Niagara Falls. She is the former Martha Cardillo... Happy journey to one of our co-workers, Ivonette (Toots) Choquette, who left us to join her husband at an army base in Kentucky... Welcome to all the newcomers to our department.

BROWN STREET
"BRIEFS"

Wire Coating

by Corena Tatro

Someone used to say every time he had a birthday he would stay in bed and pull the sheets over his head. But this isn't so with Earl Washburn. He thinks that a birthday calls for a celebration and that is just what he did. A party was held in his honor at the Hill Top rest in Savoy with all his co-workers attending. Every one enjoyed the supper and the ladies enjoyed showing off their finery, which was a pleasant change from slacks. Earl received a number of gifts plus a bouquet of real violets, picked and sent by Caroline Sanford, daughter of Paul. Earl was 75 May 19... We hear Louise Faour is on the mend again. Louise has been ill for some time and we are happy to hear she is feeling better. Hurry back... Phil Gattuso is also on the way back after a stay in the Albany, New York, hospital. Hurry back to join us, Phil... We are happy to congratulate Ernest Gamache for his fine showing in the recent Hobby Show. Ernest entered his hand-made grandfather's clock and walked away with a prize. You would have to see this creation to understand why he won... Again Bev Miller is in the lime-light. We understand Bev was in an amateur show while attending a 4H club outing in Pittsfield and took first prize. Bev is

the daughter of Norman of Prokar and Lucille of Wire Coating.

Just a word of thanks and appreciation for the wonderful time you gave me on the occasion of my 75th birthday. The gifts were wonderful and like the whole affair, were a complete surprise to me. Best wishes and thanks again.

C. Earl Washburn

Industrial Oils

by Ann Heath

Mildred Reardon's son, Howard, is home on leave. He is stationed at Camp Devens. Lucky boy, so near home... Dick Clark, son of Martha, is also home on leave. Dick worked in Paper Networks before he joined the Air Force. Martha is on vacation, enjoying the company of her son... Bill Sheldon is spending his vacation on top of a stepladder decorating his apartment... Tweedles Zanett got robbed out of that prize-winning fish. He was about to lift that big one out of the river, when a dog chased him "clear" out of Williamstown... Eagle eye Teddy Mercanti can hit that bullseye every time. Keep it up Ted, you will get there... Attention everybody. Mae Pecore is going to steal someone's goat. Her grass is getting awful long.

We extend our sympathy to Helen Bailey on the death of her son.

Small Order Assembly

by Marg Greene

Welcome back from sick leaves Betty Kleiner and Tony Richer. When Franzy Bartlett and Hazel Cole return we will again have a full roster... Mae Pecor is going to be quite busy this summer with her new pastime of raising turkeys... Have you noticed Grace Felix with her lovely new hair style? It's called a poodle cut... The reason for Bell Dows frequent trips to Boston is to visit her grand-children who have recently moved to our capital city.

We want to express our sincere sympathy to the families of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ellsworth and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Bailey for their loss suffered at the tragic Galvin Road crossing in Blackinton.

Industrial Oil Rolling

by Erminia Sweeney

Birthday greetings to Rena Maroni, Agnes Miller, Margurite Walsh, and Erminia Sweeney... Welcome back to Helen Falco, who has been on a sick leave... Stranger than fiction was this overheard in the department: If you have gold teeth in your mouth and they get in contact with each other, they cause shorts; in your mouth, that is!... We wish Ida Manson happiness in her new home... Goldie Shea is on her vacation and Sally Channell has just returned from a trip to Bermuda... Hello to Rita Charron, who has been transferred back from Marshall Street. Dora Downes received so many calls for the baby stroller that she felt she could start a store.

Our sympathies go to Vic Bissallion on the death of her brother, and Helen Falco on the death of her mother.

KVA Department

by Alma Pratt and Frank Santelli

Dick Oakes and Ruth Beaudin got their drivers licenses... All we hear is baseball around our department. The Yankees have a lot of fans in K.V.A.

Misc. Resistor Assembly

by Jean Levy and Rita Brooks

All we are hearing these days from Ralph Lewis is about his farm animals, which include chickens, turkeys, and a calf. Good luck, Ralph, in your new venture... Yours very truly recently received a letter from Marion Green, one of our former co-workers. Marion moved to the wide open spaces of Nebraska. She wants to be remembered to all... Arthur Bissailion and family enjoyed a weekend trip to Camp Sampson, where they visited their son Don who is in the Air Force... Isabel Rancourt is learning to drive. We understand she is going to be a fancy driver at that... A sweet potato makes a pretty plant. Ask Jean Levy, she will show you how it is done... With all this rain Dot Newman is having quite a time trying to get her cellar hole dug for her new home. From reports it is looking more like a swimming pool. Don't give up, Dot... Mary LaDame has the new Mamie look, and it's very becoming to her.

Mica Mutterings

by Betty Barcomb

Oscar Babcock has purchased a new car. The surprising thing about this car is that all four doors open. It's a '48 Dodge. Don't spring the doors on this car, Oscar... Lorraine Kolis' smiling face appeared in the Mica Department after a two-month's leave of absence. Already she is ready for another vacation. Once you stay out, it is hard to come back in, right Lorraine? Gladabelle Ross' husband has returned from the Boston Hospital and is doing fine. George works at Marshall Street. Jo Donato is at the North Adams Hospital. She will be out on a sick leave for some time. Have a good rest, Jo and hurry back, because we miss you... Alma Barnaby has left our department. She was our clerk. Che-Che Scarbo has taken her place. Good luck to both of you... Joan Gomeau is on a leave of absence... Marjorie Boucher is leaving our department... Marlene Schneider is a good little hair dresser. She gave Che-Che Scarbo a Toni and it came out beautifully. A pajama party was held at this event and everyone had their hair perm'd... Ruth Bass' son, Ray, has returned from the hospital and is doing fine at home.

Industrial Oils

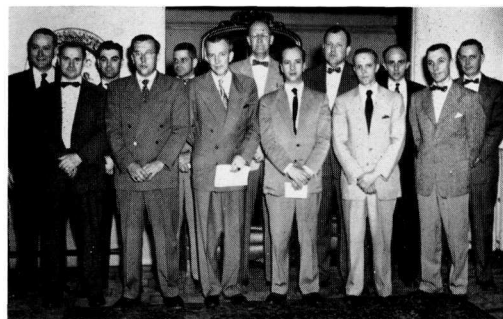
by Belle Fuller

Sorry, Tom Doyle, you had to go to the hospital. We miss you, Tom, and hope you're getting along fine by now. Vivian Montgomery has been out some time because of sickness. Wish you could get better and come back to work. Mary Santelli has been out sick, but is back to work again... Mary Gaspari is also out because of illness... Lois Adams was out a few days because she sprained her ankle, but she managed to come to work. Be careful, Lois... Our regrets to hear about our foreman, Bernard Fitzpatrick's mother falling and hurting herself. We hope she's recovering fine by now... Bill Logan has left the Industrial Oils for a new job. He is working for the Conway Express. Hope you like your new job Bill... Ann Baker is proud to show us his brand new grey and blue Chevrolet car. It's a beauty, right off the floor. Ann has been waiting some time for that car, so we hope you enjoy it for some time. Ann also enjoyed herself Sunday, May 16, at a banquet given by the Italian Girls' Club at Petey Dink's... Gus Boucher our supervisor has been keeping the girls in the Sandia Room happy bringing them plenty of trout, which are wonderful and real tasty. Gus has been very successful at fishing this season. Keep it up, Gus, we love them... Joe Rotolo and Patrick DeMarco have a knack for washing windows. They did a good job in the Sandia Room!

Work Simplification Class Techniques of Supervision

Work Simplification: Back row: Charles A. Parker, William Mendell, William Dehey, instructor, John Newcombe, O. Lesley Sewell, Hunter Machine Company, Donald Meiklejohn, John H. Horan, Hunter Machine Company, and Raymond Hunnicke.

Front row: William Pierce, Alfred Bergeron, Ernest Jones, Edward Lawton, William A. McConnell, Byam Printing Company, Robert Wadlegger, Hunter Machine Company, and J. Wesley Baker.



Techniques of Supervision: Back row: William Dehey, Lawrence E. Roy, Windsor Print, George Roy, Lesley Sewell, Hunter Machine Company, John Horan, Hunter Machine Company, Andrew Girgenti and Arthur Mollere.

Front row: Charles Tokarz, Windsor Print, Louis Vincelette, Edward Lawton, William McConnell, Byam Printing Company, Richard Dean, Hunter Machine Company and Arthur Spencer. Sprague men who completed the course and not pictured were Adolph Zabek and Alfred Boyer.



This picture was taken recently in the Governor's office in Boston. The following children were guests of the governor. Left to right are: Donnal Sweeney, daughter of Rita Sweeney, former employee in F. P. Cover Assembly, Beverly Andrews, daughter of Marion Andrews, Molded Tubular Final Soldering. Back row: Governor Christian Herter, Senator Silvio Conte, Councilor William B. Andrews, Jr. husband of Marion Andrews, Bruce Crane of Dalton, Governor's Council, and Lieutenant Governor, Sumner Whittier.



Five generations—Louis Bedard, 90, seated, is in center of group representing five generations of his 192 descendants: standing, Mrs. Clarence H. Scrivens (left), his daughter; Mrs. Andrew J. DeSanty (right), her daughter; Robert DeSanty, her son, holding Sharon Ann DeSanty, his daughter. Mr. Bedard is also the father of Louis Bedard, Jr. janitor in the Metal Clad Tubular Finish Department.

SPORTS - - by Kenny Russell**SPRAGUE MEN'S GOLF LEAGUE**

Well! The season is about to start, the committee has made the pairings and drawn the rules (which may be altered as we go along).

Everyone knows the success of this league depends solely on the attendance, and your cooperation in seeing that all rules are adhered to.

The rules are as follows:

- (1) Starting time each Monday 6:00 p.m. (no later). Any man or men arriving after his opponent has teed off, may join them on what-ever hole they are playing, and he is down the number of holes he has missed.
- (2) There will be no penalty for lost balls. In the event of a lost ball, the player will drop one nearest to where it was last seen and play, no penalty involved. On lost balls, a three (3) minute period is the maximum time allowed to look for it. *This rule must be strictly adhered to.*
- (3) For the entire season preferred lies will be used, and all local rules will apply.

- (4) All score cards must be turned in immediately after the match to one of the Committee: Walt Schroeder, Ralph Fressola or Lou Vincelette.

(5) Special Notice to Team Captains:

Captains must turn in to W. Schroeder, their player positions by Friday afternoon each week. (This is to allow him time to make out score cards). It is also the duty of the captains to arrange his team schedule so no man will miss two matches in succession.

- (6) In the event of any disagreement (and we hope there will be none), an optional ball must be played, and final decision will remain with the rules committee. All disputes must be directed to the Rules Committee within twenty-four (24) hours after starting time.

- (7) If it is not raining at 6:00 p.m., matches will be played as scheduled. If it starts to rain after match is underway, the match will go on until complete. In the event of questionable weather during the day, your Committee will decide if matches will go on, and make an announcement over the amplifying system.

(8) Scoring will be as follows:

One point for (9) holes best ball individual. One point for team best ball. In event of a tie at the end of (9) holes, each team will get (3/4) of point.

- (9) The greens fee for non-members at both Clubs will be \$1.50, per match, to be collected by the Team Captains. There will be prizes awarded after each match, and no man can win more than one prize during the season. Of course, he may win one weekly prize and still be eligible for a prize at the end of the season.

THE TEAMS

"Pinehurst"	
Name	Dept.
P. Begebing (Capt.)	Main Test.
S. Bubriski	R. & E.
W. Carlton	Sales
J. Washburn	Personnel
K. Haskins	Resistors
"Hershey"	
D. Peck (Capt.)	Lab.
T. Leary	R. & E.
P. Chitenden	Credit Dept.
D. Meiklejohn	Methods
R. Lamore	Lab.
"Wingfoot"	
W. Schroeder (Capt.)	R. & E.
B. Duval	Prod. Planning
S. McClure	Shipping

K. Russell	Ind. Oils
R. Smith	Methods

"Oakmont"	
E. Ward (Capt.)	Management
R. Sherman	Can Shop
V. Barry	Lab.
E. Jones	Methods
W. Kirby	Plant Eng.

"Pine Valley"	
R. Fressola (Capt.)	Inspection
H. Brafman	Pilot Plant
F. Leeming	Sales Eng.
P. Garnish	Plant Eng.
J. Doyle	R. & E.

"Indian Creek"	
W. Rohane (Capt.)	Management
J. Allison	Sales Eng.
J. Fabricius	Plant Eng.
D. Norton	Plant Eng.
F. Whitham	Emp. Relations

"Shaker Ridge"	
F. Osterhoudt (Capt.)	K.V.A.
J. Carson	Methods
J. Ortmann	Plant Eng.
R. Burleigh	R. & E.
J. Lipa	West Elec. Dept.

"Rock Ledge"	
H. Kalker (Capt.)	Sprague Prod.
R. Bastion	Tabulating
G. Giroux	Food Service
L. Vincelette	Prod. Planning
N. Welch	Sales

Alternates: W. Phelps, Te. Mar. 390; Don Millberry, Tel Br. 75; Paul Fern, Sales, Tel. Mar. 426; Jim Fitzgerald, Sales, Tel. Mar. 429; and Jim Gordon, Tabulating, Mar. 475.

The above listed alternates may be called on in the event, any team Captain finds himself short for any match.

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SPRAGUE MEN'S GOLF LEAGUE

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The Schedule

Date: 5-25 Tournament. All players welcome. Taconic

Monday 6-1 Taconic

Pinehurst vs. Rock Ledge
Pine Valley vs. Oakmont
Hershey vs. Shaker Ridge
Indian Creek vs. Wingfoot

Monday 6-8 No. Adams

Pinehurst vs. Oakmont
Pine Valley vs. Shaker Ridge
Hershey vs. Wingfoot
Indian Creek vs. Rock Ledge

Monday 6-15 Taconic

Pinehurst vs. Shaker Ridge
Pine Valley vs. Wingfoot
Hershey vs. Indian Creek
Oakmont vs. Rock Ledge

Monday 6-22 No. Adams

Pinehurst vs. Wingfoot
Pine Valley vs. Indian Creek
Hershey vs. Oakmont
Shaker Ridge vs. Rock Ledge

Monday 6-29 Taconic

Pinehurst vs. Indian Creek
Pine Valley vs. Hershey
Wingfoot vs. Rock Ledge
Shaker Ridge vs. Oakmont

Monday 7-6 No. Adams

Pinehurst vs. Hershey
Pine Valley vs. Rock Ledge
Indian Creek vs. Shaker Ridge
Wingfoot vs. Oakmont

Monday 7-13 Taconic

Pinehurst vs. Pine Valley
Hershey vs. Rock Ledge
Indian Creek vs. Oakmont
Wingfoot vs. Shaker Ridge



The basketball group seems to be enjoying their dinner.

Reunion of Sprague Girls' Basketball Teams

On May 14 at the Clarksburg Sportsman's Club some 35 members of the Sprague Girls' Basketball team held its first reunion.

A delicious steak dinner was digested by a happy group and the Toastmaster was none other than that witty Personnel man—William Phelps. Bill has a style that is entirely different from others who have presided at the head table and he is hard to imitate.

He introduced several speakers with flashy introductions and the first was

Coach Cazz Sanecki. As many sport fans know, Cazz is one of the outstanding basketball referees in Berkshire County. His services are always in demand. His business like way of handling games and his impartiality have won him the plaudits of all the County. That is why he had to call on Captain "Vishy" Wisniewski to assist him in running the club. He spoke highly of the team and the individual girl players and assured all that his services would still be available.

Jack Washburn, without him no party would be complete, said that the people out of town spoke rather highly of the team and the good will that they were radiating.

George St. Pierre, Y.M.C.A. physical director who each year is the home basketball referee at all games for the girls, said that his job was easier than that of the girls playing, because he did not have to absorb all the bruises that the players encountered during the course of the game.

Bob Sprague, Jr. spoke briefly and related some experiences on his recent trip to Europe.

Captain Wisniewski, on behalf of the team, presented to Mr. E. L. Ward the trophies won in 1948 and 1953. Mr. Ward accepted them for Sprague Electric and responded briefly. The trophy won in 1948 was for the runner-up in Western Massachusetts Tournament play. Top prize was taken by the Pro-Drug from Pittsfield. The recent trophy for this past season was for copping 3rd place and, incidentally, the Pro-Drug came through again to annex the championship.

Male guests who took bows other than those already mentioned were: Fred Whitham (whom we understand is a Warbler of note and who demonstrated the fact for the World to hear), Courtney Flanders, Francis (Tank) Wilson and Photographer Al Horsfall. (We apologize if we have left anyone out.)

Following the dinner, solos were sung by Catherine Stephanophlis and Fran Melito. Lorraine Damon led the group singing. Dancing followed to round out a grand evening.

Past members present at the dinner reunion were "Sis" Perenick, Joan LaPierre, Fran Melito, Patricia Gilmore, (now married), Dorothy DePaoli, Roma King, Nancy King, Mary Santelli, Claire Shakar, Laddie Mirante, Rachael Sinderman. (Again we hope we have left no one out.) Those members who were not present but were remembered were Jeanette Roy, Mary Gordon and Rachael La Versa. (Information contributed by the Manager of the team, Marg Wittig.)



Former players are, front row, left to right, Joan LaPierre, Fran Melito, Dot DePaoli and Mary Santelli. Back row, left to right are George St. Pierre, Steffi Stefanopolous, Sis Perenick, Pat Brazzi and Coach Cass Sanecki. Missing from the picture were Mary Gordon and Lois Greene.



This year's team winning third place trophy in Hudson Falls Tournament. Front row, left to right: Ann Masson, Theresa Pedercini, Alice Moncecchi, Vishy Wisniewski and Gloria Amos. Back row, left to right: Red Robinson, Janice Fowler, Mary Ann Perenick, Coach Cass Sanecki, Marg Wittig and Lorraine Damon.



This team was the first team to play for the Company. Winners of the Western Massachusetts runner up trophy in 1949. Front row, left to right: Coach Roma King, Clara Shaker, Vishy Wisniewski and Marg Wittig. Back row, left to right: Rachael Sinderman, Kay Clifton, Tank Wilson, manager, Nancy King and Laddie Mirante. Girls missing from the picture were Jeanette Roy, Alice Chichy, Rachael LaVersa and the late Ann Blasi.

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FROM Cheshire Harbor to Marshall Street, Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday for 7:00 to 4:45; Thursday and Friday 7:00 to 3:45 shift. Tel. Adams 1623.

FROM West Shaft Road to Marshall Street plant, 5:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. shift. Contact Mrs. Joan Zwiercan.

FROM Adams to Marshall Street, 2:30 shift, going to Marshall. Call Rosemarie Tobin, or LOG desk.

FROM Massachusetts Avenue and Protection Avenue to Marshall Street. 5 to 11 p.m. shift. Call Ruth Lusier.

PASSENGERS WANTED

FROM Pittsfield, Cheshire, Adams 7:00 to 4:45 shift. J. E. Gallagher. Please call Machine Shop.

FROM Williamstown to Marshall Street. 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. shift. Call 383.

FROM Adams to Beaver or Marshall Street, 5 to 11 p.m. shift. Call Adams 1092-MK. Joan Dubuc.

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FOR SALE

TWO thoroughbred Boston terriers, 3 months old. 1 black cocker spaniel, 2 years old. Tel. Williamstown 781-W.

BLUE 1947 Indian Scout Motorcycle in excellent condition. Priced very reasonably. Phone Adams 638-W or K.V.A. Brown Street. Donald Klammer.

DRESS form. Adjustable to any size. Never been used. Priced new \$12.00, will sell for \$7.00. Call 2023-R.

7.4 Cubic ft. Admiral refrigerator in good condition. Call 1757-WK after 6 P.M.

WANTED TO RENT one 4-6 room apartment or house and one 5-7 room apartment or house in Williamstown. Contact Courtney W. Flanders—389.

1 HOD a day hot water heater almost new. Call 1589-M after 5:30.

A MODERN five room cottage, hardwood floors, automatic oil heat and hot water, one block from bus line and shopping center. Located in Williamstown. Tel. Williamstown 818-J.

FOUR Poster single bed with springs and mattress in very good condition, very cheap. Call Adams 1089-M after 5 p.m. Will deliver.

POT STOVE and 40-gallon hot water tank, practically new. For information call 3529-W after 3 p.m.

ONE Maple bed with Kant Wet mattress—slightly used. Call 325-3J.

FORD 1932 Model B. In very good condition; new tires and tubes, only 300 miles on them. Gas heater, directional lights, new battery, plugs, points, etc. Call George Senecal—home 3212 after 5:30 p.m.

SIX-PIECE mahogany bedroom set with mattress and coil spring. Queen Anne style. Call 4082 after 6 p.m.

NAVY BLUE, belted polo coat—size 16. Only worn three months.

GENUINE ARMY SHIRTING, 16 ounces, Virgin Wool, 58" width at \$2.25 a yard. Phone 1705-W. "Swell for fishing and hunting."

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YOURS FOR TAKING AWAY. Adam Pevoski of 180 West Main Street has a lot of fill he would like to give away. Call 1973-M.

EVENING GOWN, Orchid-Blue and Nylon Netting. Size 16—Stole-shoes same color size 8. Reasonable. Dial 383.